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R E P O R T .

THE Medical Faculty of the University of Pennsylvania, in their Annual Report and Announcement made two years ago, took pains to set forth the reasons which led them to the adoption of a plan of conducting instruction in the school, which appeared to be best calculated to meet the wants and promote the improvement of their pupils. The experience of the two subsequent sessions has confirmed the correctness of their views and decision, and fully warrants a continuance of the same system for the approaching one of 1854-55.

Without, therefore, occupying space to repeat those reasons, the Faculty, on the present occasion, in addressing the Alumni and other friends of the Institution, and for the sake of furnishing correct information to those who may have their thoughts directed towards the school, with a view of pursuing their medical studies within its walls, would confine their communication to a brief report upon the state of the department under their charge, and to a schedule of the plan of their course, together with a statement exhibiting the resources at their command for affording thorough and profitable instruction.

CONDITION OF THE SCHOOL.

The number of students in attendance during last winter was 463, and the number of graduates for the year 177.

The following table exhibits the number of matriculants and of graduates for each of the last ten years, the past session inclusive:—

YEAR.	NO. OF MATRICULANTS.	NO. OF GRADUATES.	AVERAGE FOR 10 YEARS.	
1844-45	446	164		
1845-46	462	168		
1846-47	411	163		
1847-48	508	174		
1848-49	499	190	<i>Matriculants.</i>	<i>Graduates.</i>
1849-50	439	178	452	169
1850-51	466	167		
1851-52	410	151		
1852-53	431	166		
1853-54	463	177		

An inspection of this table, and a comparison of the numbers who have attended the courses of instruction and received the honors of the institution during the past season, with those of the nine years preceding, will afford ample and gratifying evidence of the continued prosperity of the school.

During the term of years here indicated, medical schools have greatly multiplied throughout the country, and some of those already existing have enjoyed large numerical increase. Through active competition for patronage, the tendency has been to increase the facilities offered the student in obtaining the medical degree, while the demands upon his own exertion have not been increased in proportion, or the means and methods of instruction in all cases correspondingly improved.

That under such circumstances, the University of Pennsylvania, conducted on the principles which have always influenced its Faculty, should retain its number of students and graduates undiminished, argues for it a solid footing in public estimation, and a prosperity quite beyond that of a stationary condition.

Among the more important features of improvement in the condition of the University which the Faculty are pleased to discover, and upon which they may reasonably congratulate themselves are, the better preliminary training and a more earnest spirit of study with which a large portion of their pupils now enter the school, thus enabling them to profit in a higher degree by the lessons of instruction they receive, and to bear with them to the theatre of their future labors a more thorough preparation for professional usefulness.

Amid the changes which have taken place in the policy of many of the medical schools of the United States, it is well known to those who are at all acquainted with the affairs of the University of Pennsylvania, that the Faculty have in no way relaxed their long-established rules respecting term of study, hospital attendance, &c., or at any time lowered the grade of attainment expected of the candidate. When this is borne in mind, the fact of the maintenance of the class during many years at so nearly an uniform level, and of its reaching the past season above the full average of the last ten years, is one of much significance.

That such has been her career may justly excite a feeling of honest pride with her numerous friends, while it encourages her Faculty with the cheering assurance that, as their high aims in the cause of medical education have been hitherto recognized and appreciated, their future efforts in the same direction will continue to be rewarded.

PRELIMINARY LECTURES.

In consequence of the extensive scope of the several branches to be taught in a full course of medical instruction, and the scarcely sufficient time which even the somewhat longer session of the University allows for their entire elucidation, the Faculty, a few years ago, adopted the plan of delivering a brief series of "PRELIMINARY LECTURES."

These lectures, for the ensuing session, will begin on the 25th of September, and be continued for a period of two weeks.

TIME OF BEGINNING AND OF TERMINATING THE REGULAR LECTURES.

The regular lectures of the session of 1854-55 will commence on Monday the 9th of October, and be continued without intermission until the middle of the following March, thus embracing an unbroken term of over five months.

TIME OF HOLDING THE EXAMINATION OF CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION.

The examination of candidates will commence immediately upon the close of the lectures, and will be concluded in time to allow the commencement for conferring degrees, to be held on the 1ST SATURDAY IN APRIL.

MUSEUM-CABINETS, AND OTHER MEANS OF INSTRUCTION.

Those who have not recently visited the University during the progress of the lectures, or inspected its present collections, can scarcely realize the extent to which within a few years past its means of demonstrative instruction have been expanded and improved, or form a correct estimate of what the resources of the Faculty are for effective teaching.

The collection hitherto known as the WISTAR MUSEUM has, within the past year, by the authority of the Board of Trustees, been changed to the name of the WISTAR AND HORNER MUSEUM, in recognition and honor of the munificent bequest made to the University by its late distinguished Prof. of Anatomy, Dr. Wm. E. Horner, of his entire cabinet of wet and dry preparations, which he had accumulated during a long term of years zealously and successfully devoted to his branch, and to the interests of the school.

This united collection, illustrative of Human, Comparative, and Pathological Anatomy, and of Physiology, Surgery, and Obstetrics, now numbers not fewer than 4,000 specimens, all beautifully preserved and well displayed to view.

By means of numerous cross sections and duplicates of specimens which the present incumbent of the Chair of Anatomy is now arranging in the cases, so as to exhibit to the eye their interesting features, and through the aid of the complete descriptive catalogue which he is preparing, this museum will be prized by the medical student in an enhanced degree as a valuable resort for reference and study.

The spacious and well-lighted museum apartment, already having

a gallery extending three-fourths around it, has been recently furnished with additional transparent cases for the reception of a portion of the rich and instructive collection of material provided by the Professor of the Theory and Practice of Medicine for the elucidation of the subjects of his lectures.

This invaluable addition to the resources of the University in aid of demonstrative instruction has been collected with much care and at great cost, and as respects the number, variety, and style of execution of the objects it embraces, undoubtedly constitutes the most complete cabinet of the kind in the country.

The following are the classes of objects it contains:—

An extensive series of wax preparations copied from the celebrated collections of Guy's Hospital and University College, London, modelled by the eminent artists Towne and Tuson, of London, representing cutaneous affections, and all the more interesting pathological characters incident to the various forms of disease, general and special.

The entire Thibert collection, illustrative of the pathology of internal organs.

A large variety of wet preparations of diseased structures.

A full suite of finely-executed drawings, on a magnified scale, representing histological pathology, internal pathology, eutaneous diseases, &c.

The various instruments and aids, used in the diagnosis of disease.

For the purposes of more easy reference, the extensive cabinet of *Materia Medica* has been located in the Museum. This consists of all the drugs and their varieties employed in the course of instruction on the subject, and of rare and valuable specimens collected by the present incumbent of the Chair of *Materia Medica*, and his predecessor. Connected with this collection is a rich herbarium, comprising both exotic and indigenous plants, so placed in frames as to admit of ready inspection. The department is also illustrated by a large series of living plants and delineative paintings.

Pertaining to the Departments of Chemistry, Surgery, Obstetrics, and Institutes, all the instruments, apparatus, models, &c., required for illustration, are in the possession of the professors of those branches.

HOSPITAL INSTRUCTION.

The Prof. of Practice, while conducting his course of lectures in the University, also, during his term of service as prescribing physician to the Pennsylvania Hospital, which covers a large portion of the session, prescribes publicly twice a week, and exhibits and explains, in the presence of the class, all cases of interest which bear being taken into the amphitheatre of that institution.

Dr. Norris, one of the surgeons to the Hospital, performs similar valuable service in reference to the branch of Surgery, and out of the large number of patients under his charge during the term has constant occasion to perform operations, which the class have the benefit of witnessing.

Students who pursue their studies throughout the year in the city, by taking the Hospital ticket, have full access to the wards of the Hospital on the prescribing days of all the physicians and surgeons during that period.

CLINICAL INSTRUCTION IN THE UNIVERSITY.

As a means of illustrating and forcibly impressing the lessons of the Lecture-Room, CLINICAL INSTRUCTION IN MEDICINE AND SURGERY will continue to be conducted by the Professors in the college building twice a week throughout the session, and no effort will be wanting to render this auxiliary interesting and of practical value to the students of the school.

The number of patients brought before the class and treated during the past season, was upwards of one thousand, and embraced an extensive variety of disease, acute and chronic, and a large number of surgical operations of both major and minor grade.

In view of the foregoing statements respecting the classes, mode of conducting instruction, and the resources at command of the Faculty, it may be affirmed with truth, as it is with pride, that the University of Pennsylvania has never enjoyed a more solid prosperity, nor been in a condition so well provided in all its departments for performing the work of efficient medical teaching as at the present time.

REGULATIONS

OF THE

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA.

THE Medical Department is under the immediate government of the Medical Professors, who constitute the Faculty of Medicine, subject to the Rules and Statutes of the Board of Trustees. The Faculty consists of

A Professor of the THEORY AND PRACTICE OF MEDICINE AND CLINICAL MEDICINE,

A Professor of ANATOMY,

A Professor of MATERIA MEDICA AND PHARMACY,

A Professor of CHEMISTRY,

A Professor of SURGERY,

A Professor of OBSTETRICS, AND THE DISEASES OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN, and

A Professor of the INSTITUTES OF MEDICINE.

The Medical Faculty hold meetings for the purpose of arranging and conducting the business of their department, and for the preservation of order and decorum among the medical students.

One of the members acts as Dean, whose duty it is to keep the Minutes of the Faculty, to arrange the examination of the candidates for graduation, to conduct the business of the Faculty at their meetings, and to attend to correspondence.

The Session for the Medical Lectures begins early in October, and ends in the middle of March ensuing.

The Commencement for conferring the Degree of Doctor of Medicine, is held by a special mandamus of the Board of Trustees, early in April.

The following are the Rules in force in relation to the Degree of Doctor of Medicine:—

I. The candidate must have attained the age of twenty-one years,

have applied himself to the study of Medicine for three years, and been, during that time, the private pupil, for two years at least, of a respectable practitioner of Medicine.

II. The candidate must also have attended two complete courses of the following Lectures in this Institution:—

Theory and Practice of Medicine,
Anatomy,
Materia Medica and Pharmacy,
Chemistry,
Surgery,
Obstetrics, and the Diseases of Women and Children,
Institutes of Medicine.

III. Medical students who have attended one complete course in a respectable Medical School, where the attendance on two complete courses is necessary to a degree, where the same branches are taught as in this, and which is placed upon the *ad Eundem* of this school, are permitted to become candidates by an attendance here for one full course; the rules of graduation being in other respects observed. They are also exempted from the payment of fees upon attending a second term.

IV. The candidate must also have attended one course of Clinical Instruction in the Pennsylvania Hospital, or *some other* Institution approved of by the Faculty of Medicine.

V. When a candidate applies to the Dean for admission, he must exhibit his tickets to prove that the above rules have been complied with.

VI. The candidate, at the time of his application, must deliver to the Dean of the Medical Faculty a Thesis, composed by himself, on some medical subject. This thesis is referred to one of the Professors, who shall examine the candidate upon it, and make his report thereon to the Medical Faculty.

VII. When a candidate is rejected, his essay will be retained by the Medical Faculty.

VIII. The essay must be in the candidate's own handwriting, and must be written uniformly on letter paper of the same size, the alternate pages being left blank.*

* The essay should be written upon Thesis paper. This is for the purpose of convenient binding together into volumes. It is recommended to the candidate to prepare his thesis before the commencement of the second course of lectures.

IX. Bad spelling in a Thesis, or evidences of want of literary culture, will preclude a candidate from examination for a degree.

X. A Thesis may be published by the candidate if he desire it, the permission of the Professor by whom he was examined thereon being first obtained; but no alteration shall be made in such thesis without the consent of the said Professor.

XI. The voting on the case of each candidate is by ballot. Candidates who have not been successful upon a first examination, will be permitted to have a second, when all the classes have been disposed of by the Faculty. The second examination will be conducted in full meeting of the Professors.

XII. The candidate shall pay the fees of graduation at the time of his examination, or before receiving notice of his success; his name may then be entered on the Register of passed candidates, for the purpose of being reported to the Board of Trustees and included in the mandamus for a Degree.

XIII. Candidates who have passed their examination, and in other respects complied with the regulations, are to be reported by the Dean to the Provost, who will communicate such report to the Board of Trustees, in order that, if approved of by them, their mandamus be issued for conferring the Degree.

XIV. The Degree will not be conferred upon a candidate who absents himself from the Public Commencement, except by special permission of the Medical Faculty.

XV. Graduates of Medical Schools, on the *ad Eundem* list, by attending one complete course in this Institution, and complying with the above regulations, are put upon the same footing with students who have attended two complete courses here; that is, they may present themselves as candidates for graduation;—also, if they attend a second time, the tickets will be free. Such graduates, if of five years' standing, are permitted to attend the course of Lectures, upon a general ticket of admission, free of expense, except the cost of the matriculating ticket. But this general ticket does not qualify for graduation.

GRADUATES.

At the Commencement, held April 1, 1854, the Degree of Doctor of Medicine was conferred by the Provost, HENRY VETHAKE, LL.D., on the following gentlemen; after which the Valedictory Address was delivered by PROF. GIBSON.

NAME.	TOWN OR P. O.	COUNTY.	STATE.	SUBJECT OF ESSAY.
Atkinson, Archibald, Jr.	Smithfield,	Isle of Wight,	Va.	Respiration.
Avera, Thomas H.	Eagle Rock,	Wake,	N. C.	Mental and Physical Education of Females.
Baker, Joseph H.	Tarboro',	Edgecomb,	N. C.	Syphilis, Primary and Constitutional.
Balliet, Louis B.	North White Hall,	Lehigh,	Pa.	Management of Children during Teething.
Baltzell, Wm.	Frederick,	Frederick,	Md.	Physiology of Vision.
Banks, Thomas L.	Raleigh,	Wake,	N. C.	Water as a Therapeutic Agent.
Barnard, John D.	Savannah,	Chatham,	Ga.	Epidemic Dysentery of 1853 in Georgia.
Barry, Jasper A.	Clarksville,	Red River,	Texas,	Dyspepsia.
Bean, James M.	Philadelphia,		Pa.	Acute Pleurisy.
Bell, Charles	Chester,	Rockingham,	N. H.	Necrosis.
Bell, John	Chester,	Rockingham,	N. H.	Tuberculosis.
Bellamy, Charles E.	Columbus,	Muscogee,	Ga.	Trephining.
Benner, Henry D.	Philadelphia,		Pa.	Symptoms and Treatment of Scarlatina.
Bibb, George R.	Russellville,	Logan,	Ky.	Pneumonitis.
Bishop, C. Stanhope	Philadelphia,		Pa.	Pulmonary Consumption.
Black, Wm. Thomas	Pulaski,	Giles,	Tenn.	Cholera Infantum.
Blair, James M.	Boalsburg,	Centre,	Pa.	Alcohol.
Blount, Richard H.	Woodville,	Perquimans,	N. C.	Causes of Impeded Respiration.
Bown, Edwin T.	Brantford,	Brant,	Ca. W.	Progressive Development from a Common Origin.
Braxton, Tomlin	Old Church,	Hanover,	Va.	The Objects and Methods of Physiological Inquiries.
Bright, Robert S.	Murfreesborough,	Rutherford,	Tenn.	Pleurisy.
Brooke, John	Spread Eagle,	Chester,	Pa.	Physiology of Death.
Brown, Aurelius P.	Fort Royal,	Warren,	Va.	Physiology of Vision.
Budlong, James	Pawtucket,	Bristol,	Mass.	Inguinal Hernia.
Butt, Albert	Norfolk,	Norfolk,	Va.	Inguinal Hernia.
Byrne, Albert C.	The Plains,	Fauquier,	Va.	Physiology of the Brain with a Refutation of Phrenological Doctrine.
Cain, James F.	Hillsboro',	Orange,	N. C.	Cod-liver Oil.
Caldwell, Julius A.	Salisbury,	Rowan,	N. C.	Acute Dysentery.
Case, Wm. E.	Lahaska,	Bucks,	Pa.	Hygiene.
Cochran, James L.	Shippensburg,	Cumberland,	Pa.	Enteric Fever.
Cocke, Wm. H.	Portsmouth,	Norfolk,	Va.	Yellow Fever.
Collins, Benjamin M.	Wrightstown,	Bucks,	Pa.	Enteric Fever.
Cook, Philip H.	Franklin,	Williamson,	Tenn.	Epidemic Dysentery of 1853 in Williams Co., Tennessee.
Davidson, Samuel T.	Nashville,	Davidson,	Tenn.	Gunshot Wounds.

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Day, David	St. Paul,	Ramsey,	Min.	Medicine among the Indians.
De Benneville, Jas. S.	Philadelphia,		Pa.	Fractures.
Detwiller, John J.	Easton,	Northampton,	Pa.	Hemorrhaphylia.
Dillard, George P.	Henry C. H.	Henry,	Va.	Enteric Fever.
Drake, John R.	Nashville,	Nash,	N. C.	Acute Peritonitis.
Draper, Lemuel J.	Milford,	Kent,	Del.	Therapeutic Effects of Common Water.
Dunn, J. Gay	Prairie Point,	Noxubee,	Miss.	Cynanche Trachealis.
Eastman, Thomas J.	Platteville,	Grant,	Wis.	Some of the Differences observed between the Saxon and Negro.
Easton, Thomas S.	Mobile,	Mobile,	Ala.	Yellow Fever.
Eichelberger, Henry S.	Winchester,	Frederick,	Va.	Anatomy of the Teeth.
Engelhard, Leopold	Wheeling,	Ohio,	Va.	Action of the Narcotics.
Eskridge, Thomas	Hays's Creek,	Carroll,	Miss.	Colo Rectitis.
Fairecloth, Siley E.	Speight's Bridge,	Green,	N. C.	Abortion.
Findlay, W. Spiller	Abingdon,	Washington,	Va.	Medicine—a Science.
Fishbourn, Cyrus D.	Womelsdorf,	Berks,	Pa.	Enteric Fever.
Fletcher, John R.	Shoal Ford,	Limestone,	Ala.	Water as a Therapeutic Agent.
Fletcher, Richard M.	Shoal Ford,	Limestone,	Ala.	Enteric Fever.
Forwood, Wm. S.	Darlington,	Harford,	Md.	Hemorrhagus Uteri.
Foulke, Joseph	Springhouse,	Montgomery,	Pa.	Electricity.
Foulke, William	Philadelphia,		Pa.	Hemorrhoids.
Fowler, Josiah C.	Rolesville,	Wake,	N. C.	The Liver.
Fithian, Enoch	Greenwich,	Cumberland,	N. J.	Medicine.
Galt, Francis L.	Augusta,	Richmond,	Ga.	Enteric Fever.
Galt, James D.	Norfolk,	Norfolk,	Va.	Cholera Infantum.
German, Daniel, Jr.	Franklin,	Williamson,	Tenn.	Autocrateia.
Gill, Cleophas J.	Forrestville,	Wake,	N. C.	Tetanus.
Gillespie, James H.	Louisa C. H.	Louisa,	Va.	Menstruation.
Glenn, Robert W.	Gilmer's Store,	Guilford,	N. C.	Scarlatina.
Green, Charles B.	Garrettsburg,	Christian,	Ky.	Diagnosis.
Green, James B.	Quakertown,	Bucks,	Pa.	Puerperal Convulsions.
Greenlee, Elisha G.	Fancy Hill,	Rockbridge,	Va.	Pneumonia.
Griffin, William K.	Milton,	Laurens,	S. C.	Necrosis.
Grube, Franklin	Pottstown,	Chester,	Pa.	Abuse of Tobacco.
Grymes, Alfred	New York,		N. Y.	Tetanus.
Hancock, Flemming J.	Partlows,	Caroline,	Va.	Cholera Infantum.
Harris, Hartwell H.	Milldale,	Warren,	Miss.	Pernicious Fever.
Hartswick, John G.	Boalsburg,	Centre,	Pa.	Chronic Rheumatism.
Hatton, James L.	Portsmouth,	Norfolk,	Va.	Pathology and Treatment of Varicla.
Hay, William G.	Warrior Stand,	Macon,	Ala.	Water as a Therapeutic and Hygienic Agent.
Hibbett, James L.	Gallatin,	Sumner,	Tenn.	Physical Diagnosis.
Higgins, Archibald A.	Princeton,	Mercer,	N. J.	Typhus Fever.
Higgins, George J.	Tamaqua,	Schuylkill,	Pa.	Medicus Verus.
Hill, Joseph R.	Yazoo City,	Yazoo,	Miss.	Therapeutic Applications of Cinchona.
Horner, Albert A.	Helena,	Philips,	Ark.	Intermittent Fever.
Hornsby, Samuel P.	Woodville,	Wilkinson,	Miss.	Opium.
Howle, Thomas P.	Richmond,	Henrico,	Va.	Rubeola.
Hudson, William O.	Locust Dale,	Madison,	Va.	Acute Pneumonia.
Hunter, George B.	Franklin,	Williamson,	Tenn.	Anatomy and Physiology of the Heart.
Hunter, William D.	Honey Brook,	Chester,	Pa.	Inguinal Hernia.
James, George W. C.	Bedford,	Bedford,	Pa.	Physiology of Respiration.
Jenks, P. Frederick	Newtown,	Bucks,	Pa.	Neuralgia.
Johnson, George	Frederick,	Frederick,	Md.	Pernicious Fever.

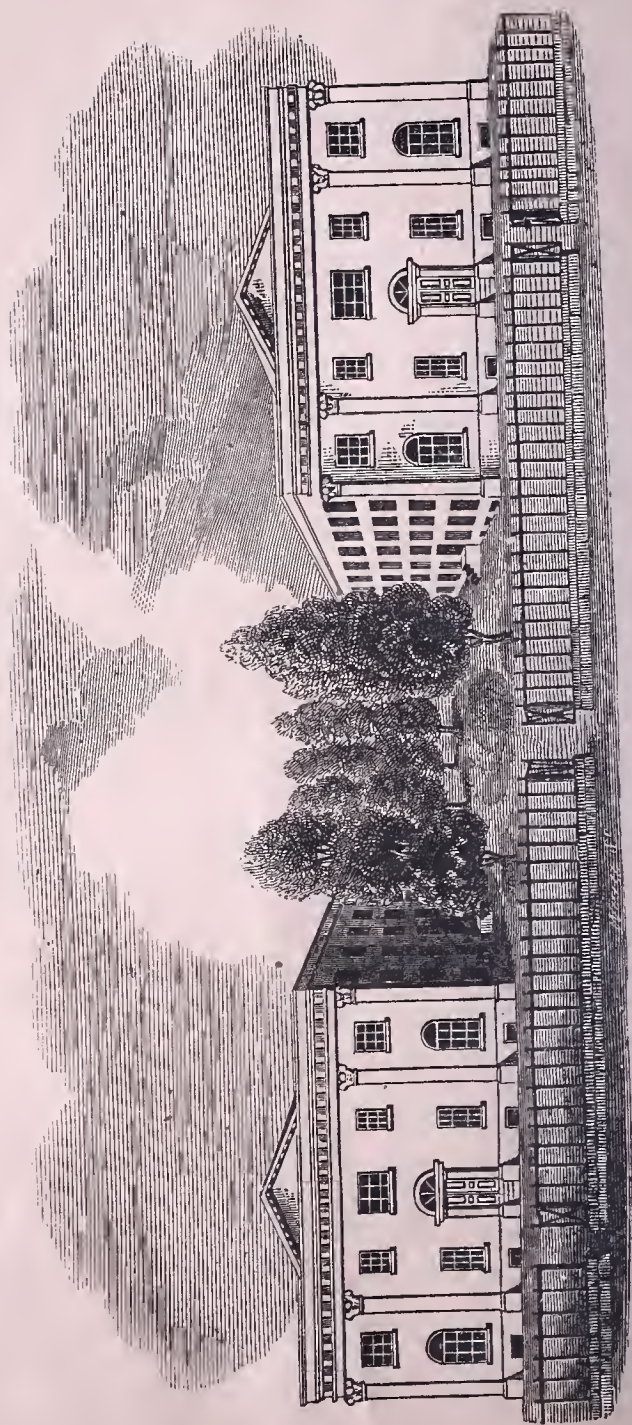
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Jones, Richard W.	Marion,	Smyth,	Va.	Menstruation — Practically considered.
Kearney, Thomas	Jefferson,	Caddo Parish,	La.	Marsh Miasm.
Keasbey, John B.	Salem,	Salem,	N. J.	The Progress of Medicine.
Kephart, Thomas P.	Montgomery,	Montgomery,	Pa.	Physical Education of Females.
Kline, Wm. O., Jr.	Philadelphia,		Pa.	Ophthalmia Purulenta.
Knox, Wm. F.	Brownsville,	Fayette,	Pa.	Phthisis Pulmonalis.
Kuhn, Louis De B.	East Berlin,	Adams,	Pa.	Arsenical Poisoning.
Lane, John M.	Vicksburg,	Warren,	Miss.	Remittent Fever.
Lea, James T.	Oakland,	Chatham,	N. C.	Pernicious Fever.
Longaker, Henry D.	Perkiomen Bridge,	Montgomery,	Pa.	Pleurisy.
Ludlow, Benj. Chambers	Cincinnati,	Hamilton,	Ohio,	Formation of Callus.
M'Bride, Isaac	Philadelphia,		Pa.	Amenorrhœa.
M'Lean, Lucius A.	Greenwood,	Carroll,	Miss.	Remittent Fever.
Macon, Gideon H.	Warrenton,	Warren,	N. C.	Enteric Fever.
Martin, Robert B.	Elizabeth City,	Pasquotank,	N. C.	Lobar Pneumonia.
Miller, Abraham S.	New Market,	Shenandoah,	Va.	Fractures of Tibia and Fibula.
Miller, Geo. McClellan	Wilmington,	New Castle,	Del.	Infantile Convulsions.
Minis, David, Jr.	Beaver,	Beaver,	Pa.	Special Anatomy of the Negro.
Minturn, Edward	Philadelphia,		Pa.	Menstruation.
Mitchell, S. B. Wylie	Philadelphia,		Pa.	Fractura Complicata.
Moore, Samuel	Clarksville,	Red River,	Texas,	Oleum Terebinthinæ.
Morris, James Cheston	Philadelphia,		Pa.	The Blood-cells.
Morisey, Samuel B.	Clinton,	Sampson,	N. C.	Syphilis.
Newman, John W.	Salem,	Fauquier,	Va.	Typhoid Fever.
Oberholtzer, Levi	Lionsville,	Chester,	Pa.	Cold as a Therapeutic Agent.
Paschall, James P.	Oxford,	Granville,	N. C.	Oleum Terebinthinæ.
Pierce, George A.	Providence,	Providence,	R. I.	Morbus Brightii.
Pinkston, W. D.	Warrensburg,	Johnson,	Mo.	Typhoid Fever.
Powell, William L.	Roxobel,	Bertie,	N. C.	Typhus Fever.
Priestly, Henry I.	St. John,		N. B.	Acute Dysentery.
Price, Wm. B. K.	King George C.H.,	King George,	Va.	Scarlatina.
Rankin, Davis	Newark,	New Castle,	Del.	Opium.
Rhoads, John W.	Milton,	Northumberland,	Pa.	The Duties and Responsibilities of the Physician.
Richmond, Wm. C.	Oxford,	Lafayette,	Miss.	Fractures.
Riddick, Richard H.	Gatesville,	Gates,	N. C.	Erysipelas.
Rixey, Samuel R.	Stulpepper C. H.	Culpepper,	Va.	Enteric Fever.
Roane, T. Walter	Covington,	Tipton,	Tenn.	Pathological Anatomy of Malignant Epigenises.
Ryan, Fred. B.	Holly Springs,	Marshall,	Miss.	Pernicious Fever of the Southwest.
Sawyer, J. Iredell	Edenton,	Chowan,	N. C.	Bloodletting.
Scarborough, Ira	Snow Hill,	Greene,	N. C.	Rubeola.
Schlemm, Wm. E.	Maiden Creek,	Berks,	Pa.	Indolent Ulcers.
Shackleford, Robt. B.	Stony Point,	Albemarle,	Va.	Calorification.
Sharp, Edward S.	Salem,	Salem,	N. J.	Polypus of the Uterus.
Shaw, Henry J.	Ryan's Store,	Montgomery,	Tenn.	Dysentery.
Silvester, Richard J.	Norfolk,	Norfolk,	Va.	Tetanus.
Simington, Robert S.	Milton,	Northumberland,	Pa.	Apoplexy.
Skillern, Samuel R.	Pulaski,	Giles,	Tenn.	Enteric Fever.
Smiley, A. Jackson	Columbus,	Franklin,	Ohio,	Homœopathy as a System of Practical Therapeutics.
Smith, George B.	Nashville,	Nashville,	Tenn.	Syphilis.

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Smith, Josiah	Mt. Surprise,	Luzerne,	Pa.	Pneumonia.
Steele, Stephen H.	Ripley,	Lauderdale,	Tenn.	Dysentery.
Steward, Robert	Natehez,	Adams,	Miss.	Light in its Relations to Life.
Stiles, R. Cresson	West Chester,	Chester,	Pa.	Animal Heat.
Stone, James B.	Franklin,	Williamson,	Tenn.	Puerperal Peritonitis.
Stribling, Robert M. Jr.	Markham,	Fauquier,	Va.	Physiology of the Psychological Faculties.
Swanson, Edward	Franklin,	Williamson,	Tenn.	Terebinthina.
Taylor, Bushrod	Winchester,	Frederick,	Va.	Conjunctivitis.
Thomson, Andrew W. Jr.	Unionville,	Union Dist.,	S. C.	Palpitation of the Heart.
Thornton, Byron	Lahaska,	Bucks,	Pa.	Physiology of Secretion.
Thruston, Stephen D.	Hickory Ford,	Gloucester,	Va.	Functions of Female in Reproduction.
Treichler, Samuel K.	Clayton,	Berks,	Pa.	Ineised Wounds.
Tupper, Nathan	Amherst,	Cumberland,	N. S.	Puerperal Fever.
Uhler, Jonathan K.	Philadelphia,		Pa.	Benzoic Acid.
Updegrave, Silas	Norristown,	Montgomery,	Pa.	Conduct of a Natural Labour.
Vaughan, J. Franklin	Wilmington,	New Castle,	Del.	Yellow Fever from local sources of Infection.
Walker, Lewis L.	Philadelphia,		Pa.	Vitality of the Blood.
Walker, Wm. E.	Clinton,	East Feliciana,	La.	Criminal Jurisprudence of Insanity.
Wall, Asa	Winchester,	Frederick,	Va.	Stricture of the Urethra.
Ware, James B.	Cedarville,	Cumberland,	N. J.	The Science of Medicine.
Warren, John A.	Delta,	Coahoma,	Miss.	Fractures.
Warren, John H.	Princeton,	Mercer,	N. J.	Acute Gastritis.
Warren, Wm. C.	De Kalb,	Kemper,	Miss.	The Philosophy of Stimulation.
Watson, William H.	Bedford,	Bedford,	Pa.	Bedford Waters.
Watson, Robert C.	Hotel,	Bertie,	N. C.	Gastritis.
Watts, Jesse A.	Galt's Mills,	Amherst,	Va.	Hygienic Education of Children.
Webb, Stephen M. D.	Sumterville,	Sumter,	Ala.	Enteric Fever.
White, Lorenzo	Big Spring,	Wilson,	Tenn.	Cholera Infantum.
Williams, John M.	Farmington,	Davie,	N. C.	Scarlatina.
Wills, Wm. Thaddeus	Brownsville,	Haywood,	Tenn.	Digestion.
Wilson, Rezin B.	Philippi,	Barbour,	Va.	Simple Acute Dysentery.
Windle, John	Fairville,	Chester,	Pa.	Enteric Fever.
Withers, George W.	Lancaster,	Lancaster,	Pa.	Puerperal Convulsions.
Withers, Michael M.	Lancaster,	Lancaster,	Pa.	Acute Hepatitis.
Woodson, Everette W.	Garrettsburg,	Christian,	Ky.	The Duties, Trials, and Pleasures of the Physician.
Woolston, Elijah B.	Vincent Town,	Burlington,	N. J.	Subcutaneous Vaccine Pustule.

At the Commencement held July 1, 1853, the Degree of Doctor of Medicine was conferred on the following gentlemen:—

NAME.	TOWN OR P. O.	COUNTY.	STATE.	SUBJECT OF THESIS.
Crouse, Henry	Simeoe,	Norfolk,	Canada,	Delirium Tremens.
Dortch, Caleb W.	Memphis,	Shelly,	Miss.	Anatomy, Physiology, and Hygiene of Respiratory Organs.
Foulke, Antrim	Philadelphia,		Pa.	
Holmes, Stillman	Plymouth,	Plymouth,	Mass.	Dyspepsia.
Suddards, Henry	Philadelphia,		Pa.	Smallpox.
Thomas, Andrew J.	Smithfield,	Isle of Wight,	Va.	Dyspepsia.

Total, 177.



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